

PRE-APPEAL BRIEF REQUEST FOR REVIEWDocket Number (Optional) **8627-431 (PA-5498-RFB)**

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Examiner

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Applicant requests review of the final rejection in the above-identified application. No amendments are being filed with this request.

This request is being filed with a Notice of Appeal.

The review is requested for the reason(s) stated on the attached sheet(s).

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See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96)

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